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Mr. James Swensen 57 West 200 South, Suite 400 Salt Lake City, Utah 84101

> RE: Transmittal of Regulations Minerals West, Inc. Mi Vida Mine ACT/037/028

San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Swensen:

Please find the enclosed copy of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act of 1975, Title 40-8. Pursuant to your specific question regarding the requirements associated with the transfer of a mining property from one operator to a succeeding operator, you will be most interested in 40-8-19.

If I can be of any further assistance, please call.

Sincerely,

THOMAS L. PORTLE

RECLAMATION SOILS SPECIALIST

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Enclosure